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(57) Abstract: The present invention is directed to Form II, III, IV and V of sertraline hydrochloride and methods for its preparation. According to the present invention, the various polymorphs of sertraline hydrochloride may be produced either, directly from sertraline base or sertraline acetate.



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